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WHERE THE PAY CHECK GOES

FOOD PRICES IN 14 YEARS HAVE INCREASED 19 TO 122 PER CENT

In The Last Year the Advances Were as High as 19 Per Cent but There Were Some Decreases to Offset—
Coal Costs More

Washington, Sept. 26.—How the high cost of living keeps climbing was evidenced by figures in a volume issued today by the bureau of labor statistics. They showed a jump in prices of food which averages from 19 to 222 per cent in ten years. Marked increases since 1912 were indicated. The statistics came from neighborhood stores in thirty-nine industrial cities and were taken on April 15, last. A comparison with figures similarly secured from 1890 to 1899, showed the following increases on products comprising two-thirds of the average man's food purchases:

Sirloin steak, 72.6 per cent.
Round steak, 99.1 per cent.
Rib roast, 73.4 per cent.
Pork chops, 118.0 per cent.
Bacon, 122.9 per cent.
Ham, 78.1 per cent.
Lard, 66.8 per cent.
Hens, 79.7 per cent.
Flour, 27.2 per cent.
Corn meal, 55.1 per cent.
Eggs, 26.4 per cent.
Butter, 61.3 per cent.
Milk, 39.3 per cent.

The only big item which decreased in price was sugar, with a decline of 7.3 per cent.

The increase reported April 15 since the same date in 1912, were:

Sirloin, 17.6.
Rib roast, 15.3.
Bacon, 17.2.
Lard, 14.6.
Butter, 8.7.
Round steak, 19.0.
Pork chops, 17.5.
Ham, 14.7.
Hens, 9.8.
Milk, 4.9.

In the last year prices declined as follows:

Flour, 4.1.
Potatoes, 47.0.
Corn meal, 1.6.
Sugar, 16.8.

Anthracite coal increased on an average of 5 per cent and bituminous coal about 7 per cent, as compared with the previous 10-year period.

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6	Toothache, Faciaache, Neuralgia.....	25
7	Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo.....	25
8	Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach.....	25
9	Croup, Hoarse Cough, Laryngitis.....	25
10	Salt Rheum, Eruptions, Erysipelas.....	25
11	Rheumatism, or Rheumatic Pains.....	25
12	Fever and Ague, Malaria.....	25
13	Piles, Hemorrhoids, External, Internal.....	25
14	Catarrh, Influenza, Cold in Head.....	25
15	Whooping Cough, Spasmodic Cough.....	25
16	Asthma, Oppressed, Difficult Breathing.....	25
17	Kidney Disease.....	25
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HOUSE BREAKERS AT WORK AGAIN

House breakers were abroad again and this time they entered the Monett bakery and Elmore's grocery. In both instances they made their entrance through the rear windows.

At Elmore's grocery the thieves contented themselves apparently with getting a square meal of crackers, meat, jam and jellies. They ransacked the cash register but found only a few pennies.

At the bakery they carried both cash registers to the yard where they extracted a few pennies. In one register they broke into a locked department in search of money.

It is supposed that there were at least two of the intruders.

ROOSEVELT MAY BE CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR

Rochester, N. Y., Sept. 27.—Still bronzed by the Arizona sun and showing his old time "Pep" and "Ginger," Theodore Roosevelt got back in his stride here today. He was the chief figure in the New York state Progressive conference.

Tonight despite his refusal to discuss it, the one topic among the Bull Moose heard was the possibility of T. R. again running for governor of the state.

Roosevelt dismissed a straight out query as to whether he would make the fight. He neither affirmed nor denied the rumor.

TRUANT OFFICER SELECTED

At the meeting of the Board of Education, Friday night, the secretary of the Board, D. S. Breece, was elected Truant Officer and was instructed to see that all children of school age were in attendance at school or make the parents responsible for their non attendance. A number of children, with their parents knowledge and consent, are not attending school but are spending their time in idleness and playing upon the streets. Idleness breeds criminals, and the Board is right in compelling school attendance.

A TAX ON BACHELORS

Washington, Sept. 25.—The tariff conferees agreed on three thousand dollars as the amount of income a single man that shall be free from the income tax. For a married man the exemption will be four thousand with no further exemption for children. A conference report will be made to the house Saturday, it is said and the senate Monday.

GONE TO A. H. T. A. STATE MEETING

Hon. J. F. Mermoud and B. W. Withers departed Monday for the meeting of the state and national A. H. T. A. at Keokuk, Iowa. They went by the way of Sedalia to spend a day at the state fair. E. A. O'Dwyer left Tuesday night and met them at St. Louis.

A preacher in Peoria, Ill., in a speech recently declared that the Chautauqua had become a vaudeville stage, with the speaker a clown and his eye on the gate receipts. He asserted that the standard had gone down.

FANS WAIT FOR WORLD'S SERIES

Interest Taken Out of Remaining Games by Winning of Pennants

GAMES TO START OCTOBER 7.

Experts Now Busy Figuring on Possibilities of the Two Teams

New York, Sept. 29.—A week more of major league play, a week or ten days following to settle the world's championship, and the baseball season of 1913 will have passed into history.

The past week saw the pennant contests in both National and American leagues settled beyond dispute, and arrangements for the big series between New York National and Philadelphia American for the world's title duly made and promulgated by the national commission. Accordingly, the real "crucial series" of the year will open at the Polo grounds, New York, on Tuesday, October 7, and be fought out there at the Shibe Park, Philadelphia until the winning of four games gives either the Giants or the Athletics the right to inscribe the legend, "World's Champions, 1913," on the club's banner.

The Giants were a good bit slower in clinching the flag honors in their league than were the Athletics in theirs. For this the persistency of the Phillies on the one hand, and the cave-in in Cleveland on the other, were largely responsible. The Mackmen's final and finishing blow was struck last Monday at Philadelphia when the Detroit Tigers were artistically blanked in both games of a double header. The Phillies hung on the Giants' coat tails the week through and only succumbed to the inevitable on Saturday when the Boston won their third game of a seven game series and thereby made it mathematically impossible for Dooin's men to win out even should McGraw's earnest but weak-hitting workers lose all their remaining games.

The coming struggle between these two teams, representing the last word in baseball ability, as tested by the long grind of a season's campaign, bids fair to be one of the most interesting yet in the series of contests for world laurels. The personnel of the two teams is not greatly changed from that of two years ago when the Athletics got the better of the series by four games to two.

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LASSITOR—WALTON

Miss Pearl Walton, of Diamond and Aubrey Lassitor, of Monett, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Diamond, Sunday, September 21. Rev. R. W. Blunt, pastor of the Christian church, performed the ceremony. Mr. Lassitor did not inform his friends of his marriage, and it did not become generally known until this week, and he is now receiving the congratulations of his many friends.

Mr. Lassitor is a clerk in Shaffer's grocery store. His wife is an excellent young lady and was very popular in her home town. They have gone to housekeeping in the home which the groom had prepared on Marshall Hill.

Mrs. Beckett and daughters, Misses Grace and Elma, of north of town, visited in Monett, Saturday.

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STATE OF MISSOURI, } ss
COUNTY OF BARRY, }

In the Circuit Court, November term, 1913, Henry E. Spain, plaintiff, vs Catharine Whittington, if living, Frank Whittington, if living, Lucinda Maloney, if living, and Sallie Ince, if living, and if either or all of such named persons be dead then their heirs, widows, consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, and immediate mesne, or remote voluntary or involuntary grantees or assignees, Defendants.

The State of Missouri, to the above named defendant, greetings:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the county of Barry in the state of Missouri the object and nature of which is to ascertain and determine and quiet in the plaintiff the title to the north half of the southwest quarter and four (4) acres of the northwest corner of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter section eleven (11) township twenty five (25) range twenty seven (27) Barry county, Missouri.

Plaintiff states that he is now the owner of said land and he and those under whom he claims have been in the open, notorious, peaceable, exclusive, adverse and continuous possession of said land under color of title and claim of ownership for the last twenty years, during all of said time have paid the taxes thereon and exercised all the rights of ownership over same. Plaintiff further states that he verily believes that there are persons interested in or who claim or might claim to be interested in the title to said land and the subject matter of this suit whose names he cannot insert herein because they are unknown to him. Plaintiff is unable to set out herein the interests or claims of such unknown persons if any there be because such interests are unknown to him, but plaintiff avers that the interest or claims of any of such unknown persons and each of them are derived to them as consorts, heirs, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate, mesne, or remote, voluntary, or involuntary, grantees or assignees of the defendant Catharine Whittington who was the widow of John Whittington, deceased, Frank W. Whittington, who was an heir of John Whittington, deceased, Lucinda Maloney, who was an heir of John Whittington, deceased, and Sallie Ince, who was an heir of said John Whittington, deceased, and John Whittington, who was at one time the owner of this land; that the claim or interest of such unknown defendants if any is derived by inheritance, descent, devise, grant or operation of law from the said John Whittington, deceased. Plaintiff further states that the defendants, Catharine Whittington if living, Frank W. Whittington if living, Lucinda Maloney if living and Sallie Ince if living, are each and all non residents of the State of Missouri, which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be begun and held at the court house in the city of Cassville in the county of Barry and state of Missouri on the 10th day of November next when and where you may appear to defend such action, otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered, that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the MONETT TIMES, a weekly newspaper published in Barry county, Missouri.

W. R. HALE, Circuit Clerk
By A. W. LANDIS, Deputy
Mayhew, Sater & Gardner, Attorneys for plaintiff.

A TRUE COPY FROM THE RECORD
Witness my hand and the seal of Circuit Court of Barry County, this 15th day of September, 1913.

W. R. HALE, Circuit Clerk
[SEAL] By A. W. LANDIS, D. C.
First Insertion September 19.

Mrs. Will Cowan, of Muskegon, visited friends in Monett, Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Carlin and son, of Stones Prairie, were shopping in Monett, Saturday.

Mrs. Thos. Judkins, Mrs. J. M. Clayton and Mrs. Dan Guiney visited in Springfield, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ayer, of Springfield, returned to their home Friday after a visit with Miss Grace Waite.

Mrs. J. J. Peck and Mrs. Wm. Kimes are attending the W. C. T. U. state convention in Columbia, this week.

Miss Minnie Haas, who has typhoid fever, is not improving. A trained nurse has been secured to care for her.

Mrs. Mizee, who had been visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Goodwin, for some time, has returned to her home in Pittsburg, Kan.

Jim Mariott, one of the old time settlers of Barry county, now of Colorado, was in the city Tuesday. He went from here to Arkansas. His health is very poor.

We are informed that Mrs. Chas. Cagle, who is in a sanitarium at Nevada, is much improved, and her relatives hope that she will soon be able to return home.

FAT HOGS

An Iowa farmer made a shipment of 500 fat hogs to the St. Louis market last week and realized something like \$9,000 for the bunch.

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COUNTY OF BARRY, }

In the Circuit Court, November term, 1913.

Laura Schneider, Plaintiff, vs. Henry Planchon, Defendant.

The State of Missouri, to the above named Defendant, greetings:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of the County of Barry, in the State of Missouri, for the purpose of making partition and division of North half of northwest quarter of section eighteen, township twenty-five, of range twenty-seven in Barry County Missouri, and determining the interests of the parties plaintiff and defendant thereto, and for other and relief which said action is returnable on the next term of said court, to be begun and held at the court house in the city of Cassville, in the county of Barry and state of Missouri, on the 10th day of November next, when and where you may appear to defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

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W. R. HALE, Circuit Clerk.

By A. W. LANDIS, Deputy.

Mayhew, Sater and Gardner, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

A true copy from the record.
Witness my hand and the seal of Circuit Court of Barry County, this 2nd day of September 1913.

[SEAL] W. R. HALE, Circuit Clerk.
By A. W. LANDIS, D. C.
First Insertion Sept. 5.

Chronic Constipation Cured

"Five years ago I had the worst case of chronic constipation I ever knew of, and Chamberlain's Tablets cured me," writes S. F. Fish, Brooklyn, Mich. For sale by all dealers.

Rev. Cox, who had been visiting the family of A. J. Hunter, left Saturday night for Jasper.

Mrs. Glenning, who has been visiting Mrs. T. F. Watson, will leave this evening for St. Louis.

Mrs. C. E. Glass and Mrs. J. B. Kirkpatrick visited in Peirce City Monday.

Mrs. Tom Burns, of Springfield, visited relatives in Monett today.

Misses Verna and Elsie Black of Pleasant Ridge, visited Misses Julia and Elsie Robbins. Sunday.

D. S. Mayhew went to Joplin, Monday to look after legal matters. Mrs. Mayhew and Miss Fern accompanied him.

Mrs. Maggie Campbell and daughter Miss Julia went to Carthage Saturday for a short visit.

P. Martin returned Friday morning from Excelsior Springs where he has been for the benefit of his health.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Burns, Miss Josie Shryock, Tom and Pat Moore went to Peirce City Sunday evening called by the serious illness of Miss Mary Shryock.

Arthur Burrows and Sherman Lane, of Purdy, visited friends in Monett Sunday evening on their way for a pleasure trip in the East.

A special election was held in Neosho last week to vote on the proposition to vote bonds to the amount of \$65,000 to improve their water aystem. The proposition failed to carry.

W. A. Nolman, the engineer who was seriously injured at his home in Springfield last Sunday, was successfully operated on at the Frisco hospital in St. Louis this week, and will soon be able to return to his home.

The Neosho Miner and Mechanic has been published for forty years. It was established by H. J. Curtice, father of the present owner, C. E. Curtice. The present proprietor helped set the type for the first issue.

Eli Lyon, of Lake Charles, La., who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Wolfe, north of town for the past week, departed Saturday for a visit in Aurora, Ft. Scott, and other points before returning to his home. Mrs. Wolfe is Mr. Lyon's niece. This was his first visit to Missouri and he was much impressed with conditions here.

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